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**RESPONSE TO NOTICE TO FILE MISSING PARTS OF
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Dear Sir:

This paper is responsive to the Notice to File Missing Parts of Application (PTO-1533) mailed June 12, 2001, part 2 of which is enclosed herewith. The Oath or Declaration for the above-identified matter was indicated as missing or unexecuted. An Oath or Declaration in accordance with 37 C.F.R. § 1.63 is enclosed herewith.

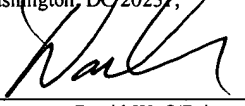
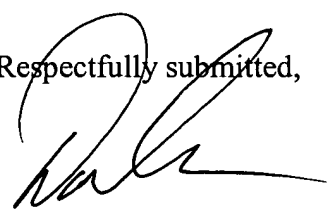
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- ☐ \$690.00 to cover the Basic Filing Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(a);
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- ☐ _____ to cover Additional Claim Fees under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(b-d).
- ☒ Surcharge under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16(e) for filing the Basic Filing Fee or Oath or Declaration on a date later than the filing date of the application, in the amount of:
 - ☒ \$130.00 (other than small entity) or ☐ \$65.00 (small entity).
- ☐ Fee under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(a), \$110.00, associated with a Petition for Extension of Time (1 month) under 37 C.F.R. § 136(a).

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